College Hockey Inc. will be receiving an increased grant from the National Hockey League that will allow the organization to add an additional full-time staff member. The NHL's increased generosity and this new position will help College Hockey Inc. continue to grow and promote college hockey.



ANNOUNCEMENT OF JOB OPPORTUNITY

Date:	September 2023
Position:	College Hockey Inc. Director of Women's Hockey
Status:	Full-time
Work location:	Ideally in a hockey-oriented locale
Supervisor:	Executive Director (Mike Snee)

Job Summary:

The ideal candidate is a highly motivated entrepreneurial person capable of identifying, creating, and pursuing initiatives designed to raise the profile and expand the exposure of women's college hockey. This is a unique opportunity to start something from scratch and make a meaningful and lasting contribution to the sport of hockey.

Essential Duties:

- In tandem with the Director of Communications, oversee all aspects of the communications and marketing strategy pertaining to women's hockey:
 - Manage, leverage, and increase CHI's social media presence specific to women's college hockey.
 - Maintain and update all aspects of CHI's website specifically related to women's hockey.
 - Conceive and create original content (articles, videos, podcasts, etc.) to promote women's college hockey.
 - Actively approach and pitch story ideas to the media.
 - Develop and maintain positive relationships with Sports Information Directors, conference communications staff and college coaches.
- Serve as a resource for aspiring young female hockey players, their families, coaches, and advisors, particularly as it relates to NCAA eligibility, recruiting rules, and the recruiting process.
 - Identify and conduct relevant research projects pursuant to the objectives of CHI specific to women's hockey.
 - Host virtual and live presentations for prospective student-athletes and their families.

- Pursue the growth of college hockey, specifically women's hockey, by approaching and working with institutions interested in adding the sport.
- Perform other duties as assigned by Executive Director

Required Knowledge and Skills:

- Authentic love and passion for the sport of hockey.
- Sincere belief in the benefits college hockey and the positive impact it can make on a person both on and off the ice.
- Strong intuitive knowledge and understanding of all levels of women's and girl's hockey including professional, international, college, prep, high school, and girl's hockey.
- Keen knowledge and understanding of current NCAA rules and regulations, particularly as related to recruiting and contact with amateur athletes.
- Self-motivated, entrepreneurial and willingness to work independently.
- The ability to persuade people via strong oral communication, written communication, and presentation skills.
- Adept at initiating, developing, and maintaining relationships.
- Organizational and event management skills.
- Proficiency and experience working with current technology, software, and social media platforms.
- Sense of humor
- Ability to travel, work evenings and weekends as necessary.

Qualification Standards:

- Bachelor's degree
- Three (3) years of experience in a hockey-related field or business strongly preferred, preferably with some background in performing the tasks described above.
- Willingness to be a continuous learner that is open to new ideas and change.

Salary & Benefits:

- Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience.
- Benefit package including medical insurance, 401(k) and paid vacation.

Application Process:

Please email the following to Mike Snee, Executive Director of College Hockey Inc., at <u>msnee@collegehockeyinc.com</u> :

- Resume
- Cover letter
- Three (3) references
- Pertinent examples of your work (writing, graphics, social media, etc.)

• Other support documents

The application process will close on October 13, 2023

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